

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT:	Salvatore Rea et al.	)	
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	MARINE ENGINES	)	
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

**RESPONSE**

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on May 21, 2007.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.